



COUNTY

PUBLISHED AT
GRAYLING
MICHIGAN'S
YEAR-AROUND
SPORTLAND

SEVENTIETH YEAR • • • NUMBER 3.

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1947.

8 PAGES - PRICE 5 CENTS

Hold Services For Bryan Newell

The "no new taxes and no deficit" pledge of Governor Kim Sigler, voiced in his inaugural message to the legislature, points the way clearly to re-submission of the issue of sales tax diversion to the voters at the April election.

The Governor's stand was expressed in these words:

"The approval of the so-called sales tax diversion has taken away a major share of the state's chief revenue and placed it in the hands of the schools and local units of government. Under this amendment, the schools may receive upwards of a total of one hundred sixteen million dollars a year—a sum far in excess of the wildest dreams of the most enthusiastic school supporters but a few weeks ago.

"Many townships, villages and cities will receive money without any relationship to their needs."

"This condition represents a lopsided financial picture, and we find ourselves faced with this question: Can we continue the present state services and operate the government at its present level without the adoption of new taxes?"

"In my statements during the recent campaign, I voiced opposition to the levying of new taxes. I believed then, and I have not changed my opinion, that the people of Michigan are paying enough taxes to finance good government.

"I am convinced that the solution of the problem lies not in more new taxes, but in seeing to it that those which we are now paying are used and expended equitably."

Declining to make any definite recommendations as to means whereby the "no new taxes and no deficit" pledge might be carried out, Governor Sigler has given firm notice that the needs of the state, as the major government of Michigan, are imperative and that he intends to do something about them.

The Governor's declaration, interpreted any way you wish, puts the State of Michigan first on the list. As Governor of the State, Sigler is displaying the same spirit of devotion to the needs of the state services as did his predecessor, Harry F. Kelly. Sigler chided the voters for jumping to the conclusion that "we have accumulated huge surpluses", whereas the state did have "certain" surpluses, but not to the extent commonly supposed."

If the state is to achieve a more equitable distribution of our income and responsibilities among local units of government on all levels, then the new sales tax diversion amendment must be eliminated or revised. This amendment, as we have repeatedly emphasized, does not divert one-third of the sales tax to home governments; it diverts 76 percent of the revenue to home governments with public schools getting the iron's share.

In that extreme and inequitable distribution of the state's major tax lies the basic trouble. The amendment created a financial impossibility. State Treasurer D. Hale Brake recently warned school districts against counting their chickens before they were hatched—that is, increasing teachers' wages in anticipation of the new financial melon from the state treasury.

A "more equitable distribution" of taxes now collected by the state would still make possible financial relief to school districts. Prior to the November election, Rep. John E. Eggle, long-time chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, warned that the state government could not function on only 24 percent of the state sales tax. He recommended an increase of 25 to 33 percent in the state's school aid—some \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 more for the coming biennium.

February 9 is the deadline for filing of a legislative resolution to re-submit the amendment at the spring election.

If the legislature would decline to re-submit the sales tax issue to the voters next spring—and it is likely that the Michigan Education Association and the mayors of large cities will want to get assurances of adequate financial substitutes—the next alternate steps would be circulation of petitions by the voters or the calling of a state constitutional convention.

In recent years state elective officials have been hesitant about asking a constitutional convention because of the fluctuating temper of the public. The present financial crisis might overcome this objection.

Governor Sigler's recommendation for "better marketing and distribution of agricultural products" focused attention on a long-felt need in Michigan. The state department of agriculture has been pushing this program for years—with limited success. The greatest obstacle has been the Michigan grower himself. He has declined to submit to uniform state inspection, grading and marketing of

(Continued on Page Four)



79th Press Meet On Next Week

The 79th anniversary of the Michigan Press Association, Inc., will be held Friday and Saturday, January 24 and 25, at the Hotel Olds in Lansing, it is announced by W. H. Whitley, publisher of the Presque Isle County Advance at Rogers City, who is president.

Clyde Bedell, newspaper retail advertising and merchandizing consultant, will conduct a clinic on retail advertising. Stephen A. Douglas, sales promotion director for the Kroger Company, Cincinnati, will talk on advertising techniques.

William J. Scripps, Detroit News, will preside at a "State of Michigan Luncheon" at which the publishers' program of traffic safety in Michigan will be presented by Paul Jones, National Safety Council, and by E. C. Hayow, publisher of the Hillsdale Daily News.

Governor Kim Sigler will conduct a press conference on 1947 state affairs.

The General Motors Corporation is presenting its new post-war "Previews of Progress" at an "All-Michigan Dinner," featuring a "Michigan smorgasbord" arranged by the Michigan Association of Farmer Co-operatives and the State Department of Agriculture. Miss Carrie Bonfante, Detroit soprano, who sang at the state inaugural dinner and ball, will give a program of songs.

"Alaskan Adventures", a motion picture travelogue of Alaska, will be presented by Philip T. Rich, publisher of the Midland Daily News.

Raymond B. Howard of London, Ohio, president of Newspaper Advertising Service, Inc., will address weekly publishers on 1947 plans for national advertising. There will be three round-tables for weekly publishers for discussion of printing, newsprint, circulation, advertising and other management topics.

The Avalanche will be represented by Mrs. R. W. Strong.

Red Cross To Seek \$60,000,000 In 1947 Campaign

Washington, D. C.—Never in time of peace has the American Red Cross been called upon to render such extensive services to the military forces at home and abroad and to veterans as are now required by the armed forces as a military necessity." Basil O'Connor, American Red Cross Chairman, said today in announcing plans for the 1947 Red Cross Fund campaign.

Open to amateurs and professionals alike, the promotion offers the following prizes: 1st, \$50; 2nd, \$25; 3rd, \$15; 4th, \$10; and three honorable mention awards of \$5 each.

The contest will close on March 20. Fletcher said that all persons wishing information and rules of the contest may write to the East Michigan Winter Sports Council, Log Office, Bay City, Mich.

Detroit Names Snow Queen For Carnival

Bank Holds Its Annual Meeting

The Grayling State Savings Bank held its 15th annual meeting last Tuesday afternoon with the same slate of officers and directors returned to office. Esbern Hanson was again named Chairman of the Board, while John Bruun was elected President and Manager of the local financial institution.

Holger D. Hanson was named Vice-President, Margrethe Nielsen as Cashier; and Don K. Gothro as Assistant Cashier to complete the officers slate. Wilhelm Raae and A. J. Nelson were named to the Board of Directors, along with Holger and Esbern Hanson and John Bruun.

The 15th annual bank statement, which is carried on other pages of this edition, shows the tremendous rise in business that the bank has enjoyed in its 15-year history. The local bank's history began in the depths of the greatest depression of all time, which it weathered along with the last war, and many other handicaps, to swell from a \$30,000 institution to better than \$173,760.

Usual reliable sources at the bank say that some changes are in sight in the very near future. It is expected that the changes will affect the personnel and bank building.

EMTA Announces Photo Contest and Prizes

A photographic contest with prizes totaling \$115.00 was announced today by East Michigan Winter Sports Council.

The contest, according to Rich, H. Fletcher, Jr., council president, is for the purpose of obtaining pictures to further publicize and advertise winter sports in the eastern and central section of the state.

Open to amateurs and professionals alike, the promotion offers

the following prizes: 1st, \$50; 2nd, \$25; 3rd, \$15; 4th, \$10; and three honorable mention awards of \$5 each.

The contest will close on March 20. Fletcher said that all persons wishing information and rules of the contest may write to the East Michigan Winter Sports Council, Log Office, Bay City, Mich.

Services Held For Mrs. Charron

Funeral services for Mrs. Christina Mabel Charron, of 302 Fulton Street, 32-year resident of Grayling, were held Tuesday at 10 a.m. from St. Mary's Church. Mrs. Charron died quietly at her home January 11, at 11:55 p.m., following a prolonged illness of more than a year.

"The peacetime activities of the American Red Cross are not new but are imposed upon the organization by its Congressional Charter and are of the same nature as those rendered by it after World War I with two marked differences," O'Connor stated.

First, there is the American Army of Occupation in Japan, Korea, Germany, Austria, and Italy, and second, there were four times as many American men and women in World War II as there were in World War I. Thus now the number of wounded and disabled to be cared for in Army, Navy and Veterans' hospitals in this country and the number of able-bodied veterans requiring services from the Red Cross can be thought of in the ratio of four to one as compared with the previous war.

Glen Day has been named as Drive Chairman for Crawford County and now is busy lining up the chairmen of the various committees and workers. He said that he expected to have a meeting with the group that will work on the campaign locally. Further facts and figures concerning the campaign and funds to be raised in Grayling and Crawford County will be released along with other news when the organization meeting is held, Drive Chairman Day said.

Wedding dinner was served at the Normandy, after which the newlyweds left for a trip to Northern Michigan. They are now at home at 410 Waverly Avenue.

Graduated from Clawson High School in June, 1944, the bride is now studying piano and theory at Detroit Conservatory of Music. Mr. Parsons was graduated from Frederick High School, Frederick, Mich., and served 32 months with the Construction Battalion of the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Abels came from Bach, Mich., for the wedding.

(Continued on Page 7)

Mittsers Entry Blanks At Avalanche Office

Golden Gloves fighters have only a few weeks left to complete training for the Northern Michigan Golden Gloves tournament to be held at Boyne City, Jan. 28, 29, and Feb. 1.

Five Northern Michigan communities have already entered teams in the event which is being resumed this year after a wartime layoff. Contestants who compete in the finals successfully will be sent to the state tournament at Grand Rapids, without the necessity of fighting through any sub-tournaments.

Entry blanks for the tournament may be secured at the Crawford Avalanche office. John Slesky, manager of the Grayling American Legion team, announced that his squad is getting in good shape for the tournament and that he expects to have 25 men competing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Blaine (Mildred Hanson) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, January 13, at Mercy Hospital. The young man will be known at John Hanson Blaine.

Douglas Alan is the name given to the new son born to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Blaine, Saturday, January 11, at Mercy Hospital.

Grayling Queen Visits Detroit

Snow Holiday Plans Increase

Detroit, Michigan's metropolis, was the first Michigan city to actually name its contestant for the title of "Miss Michigan Show Queen" that will be bestowed on the winner of the Winter Queen contest that will take place during the three-day Winter Carnival here next week-end.

Miss June Simes, Wayne University senior, who was their Homecoming Queen, will represent Southeastern Michigan in the contest. Bay City is in the process of selecting its contestant for the Winter Queen crown, as several other Michigan cities.

Miss Nancy Cox, Grayling Queen, spent several days in Detroit last week, selecting her winter wardrobe. She was accompanied by Mrs. Stanley Stealy, Chairman of the Queen's Committee. She received publicity and pictures in all three of Detroit's papers.

Ball Plans Ready

Plans are complete for the Queen's Ball, which will be held at the Grayling High School gym on Saturday evening, January 25. An advance sale of tickets for the dance starts today (Thursday) at Dawson's, Mac's Drug Store, Shopagons Inn and Duke's Hotel.

According to Chamber of Commerce President Wesley Kumpula, who is in charge of the affair. He also says the decorations which are being prepared by Miss Thelma Hubbell will be worth the price of admission alone.

"She's really doing a fine job," President Kumpula said; "you almost feel you can brush snow off some of the backdrops, it appears so real."

Although it was necessary to cancel last week's snow trains, two are expected this week and on the Carnival weekend trains from Saginaw and Bay City have already had a good advance sale, carnival spokesmen said.

1,000 At The Park

Over 1,000 winter sports enthusiasts roared, tobogganed and skied in the fine weather at the park last Sunday. The weather was clear but brisk, and the toboggan slides and ice rink and ski slopes were in excellent shape. Park operations are being whipped into shape in anticipation of a big carnival crowd, said William Richter, area supervisor, who added that they would be ready to adequately take care of everyone and see that they had a good time.

The girl selected to reign as Michigan Show Queen will be crowned at the Ball Saturday night and presented at the park Sunday.

One man selected to do one of the honors is the new Executive Secretary of the Michigan Tourist Council, R. C. McLaughlin, former assistant chief of the Conservation Department's Education Division. The other man has not as yet been named.

Most of last week and nearly all day Sunday, movies in both black and white and in color were being made at the park for film shorts and television use. Robert Brooks, who is handling the publicity of the Carnival for the Grayling Chamber of Commerce, was busy supervising and taking still pictures in black and white and also in color. Several of his pictures are scheduled for reproduction in metropolitan daily papers within the next few days.

Plans are all set up for a big

time this Friday evening at the school when the P. T. A. will provide an evening of entertainment for the benefit of the School Band.

At 8:00 o'clock, Chairman Richard Lovelady and his games committee will have the tables set up and everything in shape for twenty 50-cent games and one special grand prize game. Chairman Lovelady has a list of fine prizes that have been donated.

Mrs. Van Smith has a pair of hand-made pillow slips that will go to some lucky person.

At 9:30, Dance Chairman Joseph Stripe will have the Rhythm Kings Trio in full swing for old-fashioned and modern dancing. Tickets for this one are 35 cents and the dancing will last until 12:00.

During the evening a lunch of home-made sandwiches, donuts and coffee will be served by the Lunch Committee, consisting of Mrs. Joseph Lennert, Mrs. K. Kitchen, Mrs. J. Mallinger, Mrs. W. Kumpula, Mrs. E. Wales, Mrs. L. Trudeau, Mrs. R. McEvans and Mrs. B. Randolph. This group is headed by co-chairmen Mrs. C. Richardson and Mrs. Van Smith.

There will be games, dancing and lunch to round out an enjoyable evening. The proceeds will go to the Band Fund for instruments for the School Band.

The Wave dropped its contest to Bayne City last Friday, by a 32-26 score in a hard-fought game, in which Grayling played its best ball.

(Continued on Page Eight)

Wave To Face Harbor Springs

Defeat East Jordan; Lose To Bayne City

The Grayling Green Wave traveled to Harbor Springs Friday night to take on the Harbor Springs High School five after losing to a Big Bayne City squad Friday and defeating an East Jordan five at East Jordan Tuesday night.

The Wave dropped its contest to Bayne City last Friday, by a 32-26 score in a hard-fought game, in which Grayling played its best ball.

(Continued on Page Eight)

ROOF COLLAPSES UNDER WEIGHT OF ICE AND SNOW

A coal shed roof collapsed Saturday night under the terrific weight of ice and snow near Lake Street on the railroad siding. The shed was the property of the Grayling Lumber and Supply Co., and T. P. Peterson, the company owner, said the loss would be between \$200 and \$300. The shed was nearly empty of fuel, but it was being cleaned out completely at present. He said the company did not plan on rebuilding at the present time.

It will be the first appearance in court of Robert Neafie as Prosecuting Attorney, the office which he took over on January 1.

WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 35 words or less for each insertion. For more than 35 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10¢ will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

ROCK WOOL INSULATION—Bwon in, guaranteed not to settle. Makes a structure more comfortable both summer and winter. Apply Box B, Avalanche Office for further information.

AUCTIONEER—New in this locality, but not to auctioneering. Have had plenty of experience. "I can do the job." Try me." Ves E. Spencer. See Jess H. Underwood at South Branch Ranch, Roscommon, Michigan. Jan. 2-May 1

SLAB WOOD for Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per load. Phone 4436. Stanley Madsen 5-16-tf

PLASTERERS!—Are you interested in a year's job? Room provided on the campus at \$2.50 per week. Call E. E. Basil Co., c/o Christman Co., 8-3593, Lansing, Michigan. 1/2 st

BRICKLAYERS!—Are you interested in a year's job? Room provided on the campus at \$2.50 per week. All inside work. Call Christman Co., 8-3593 Lansing. 1/2 st

WANTED—Muskrat Hides. Top prices for any and all. Write to Grossman's Department Store, Muskegon, Michigan. We will pick up. No shipping. 5-12-19-26-2-9-16-23-30

ORDER YOUR "Alaskan" Strain Chicks now. Early order and cash discounts of \$1.50 to \$3.00 per 100 chicks and your choice of delivery date. Write for calendar and price list. Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Mich. 1-2 tf

BOTTLEGAS REGULATORS for any brand of gas in standard 100-lb. cylinders. Guaranteed. With pigtail \$11.00. Additional for 2-cylinder hookup \$4.35. Immediate shipment. Write today, Appliance Service Company, Virginia, Minnesota. 2-9-16

FOR SALE—Sow, \$60.00; weighs 400 lb. Also nine 7-wk-old pigs, \$10.00 each. See at Oscar Kimbler farm, adjoining Tony Nelson farm. 1-9-tf

LOST—Blue Tick and Walker, brown and black spotted male bearded dog. Notify E. F. Cooper, Grayling, Box 405. 9-16

FOR SALE—1938 Ford in good condition. Radio, heater, defrosters, 5 new tires. John Wareham, North shore of Houghton Lake, or inquire at Bennett's Electrical Shop. 16

LOST or LOANED—Slush scraper. Please return or notify Jack Millikin, 1001 Ottawa. Phone 3771. 16

KIDS

DON'T FORGET:

A FREE TICKET TO THE SHOW if you bring in 3 pairs of shoes to be repaired.

Crown UPS

SCOUT AROUND

And find your Spring or Summer Shoes and get them repaired NOW! Give them to your own child, or to a neighbor's, and help him earn a FREE TICKET TO THE MOVIE.

BILL'S SHOE REPAIR
PHONE 3541

GREEN TEA Is Back Again!

Ask For Yours.

BEER and WINE To Take Out.

BURROWS'

Self-Serve Market

Phone 2291



VISUAL EDUCATION

Last week the elementary grades studied the sound film on the Australian Bear. The film was from the University of Michigan library. "The World of Science", from General Electric Co., was also shown.

SEMESTER EXAMS

The week has been a busy one for high school students and teachers, who have been busy with the first semester examinations. There will be no high school classes Thursday in order to give the teachers time to mark the examination papers, average and record cards, which are due out Friday.

HOT LUNCH

Nearly 100 pupils are eating hot lunch at school each noon. Mrs. McLeod is the cook, and with the help of a few students, produces a good, wholesome lunch.

DISHES

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

PAINTING

Several more rooms are bright and new with paint. It is hoped that by next fall the study hall and gym can be painted. It will have been nearly 15 years since they were painted last. The funds for this work come from the special 5-mill Building and Repair Fund voted by the electors at the annual meeting in 1945.

JANUARY 25 * 26 SET ASIDE AS BOOSTER TAG DAY.

On Saturday and Sunday, January 25-26, Grayling School Band students will be around town and at the Winter Sports Park with Booster Band Tags.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Don't forget the Alumni basketball game scheduled for Tuesday, February 18. This will be the first such game in 14 years and will give the sports fans a chance to compare former stars of the hard-wood with those of today.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

Mr. Ernest Larson is acting as chairman of the tag day at the park and Mrs. Carl Richardson is in charge of the project in town.

Everyone is asked to plan for this big week-end and BOOST the Band by wearing a tag on the two days.

series.

Chernev is still leading the average parade with 179. In second is Roy Milnes with 172, followed by Sam Rasmussen with 171, and Dave Cook with 170. Harold Jarmain is in fifth with 169, while Charley Papenfus and Al Carrievae share sixth with 166 each. Herman Bertl, Carl Nass and Johnny Johnson are in a three-way tie for seventh with 164, while Bill Sterling and Doc Marzowka share eighth with 162 each. Larry Galehouse and E. Smith share ninth with 161 and tenth is held jointly by Tony Nelson and Rolla Failing with 159 apiece.

Nearly 100 pupils are eating hot lunch at school each noon. Mrs. McLeod is the cook, and with the help of a few students, produces a good, wholesome lunch.

DISHES

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

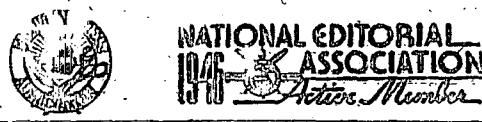
The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs dishes, especially small and medium-sized bowls or oat meal dishes, spoons, forks and knives. Any one who has some extras couldn't find a better place for them than in the hot lunch kitchen.

The hot lunch project needs

Crawford Avalanche

Established 1878
ROBERT W. STRONG, Publisher

Entered as Second Class Matter at the Post Office at Grayling, Michigan, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1913.

Published each Thursday Phone 3111

SUBSCRIPTION RATES	
Six Months	\$1.25
One Year	\$2.00
Outside Crawford County and Roscommon, per year	\$2.50
(For strictly Paid-in-Advance Subscriptions)	

Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, January 16, 1947.

"It Could Overthrow The Government"

The return of the coal miners to work has not solved the basic issues involved in the coal controversy. The glaring fact remains that the miners stopped production at the order of one man, that they went back to work at the order of one man, that they can again walk out at the order of one man. This great nation, in effect, is existing on the sufferance of one man.

It is a misnomer to describe the present day coal strikes as strikes against the mine operators. They are strikes against the American people. The last coal strike was aimed straight at every home in America—every job in America—every business in America.

The return of the miners to work has not changed a situation which Judge Goldsborough put effectively into words in his decision, when he said: "If action of this kind could be successful, it could overthrow the government." It could, in short, do what Germany did Japan were unable to do in the greatest war of all time.

Furthermore, as one of the most prominent Senators said, the obligation of Congress to overhaul our labor laws and our labor policy has not changed—and it will not change, regardless of the final decisions of the Federal courts. The duty of the courts is to say what the law means—the duty of Congress is to put into the framework of law the needs and desires of the people. And there can be no question of public sentiment when 400,000 coal miners place their interests above the interests of 140,000,000 men, women and children.

It is clear now that the Wagner Act has failed completely in its purpose—the elimination of strikes. It must be revised in principle as well as in detail. It is clear that labor must be forced to assume responsibilities commensurate with its power—precisely as industry, under strict laws, has been forced to assume such responsibilities. On what logical grounds can we continue to allow great unions, with millions of dollars in resources, to operate scot free of laws, passed in the name of the public interest, which govern all other enterprises?

The extremists in the labor ranks prattle of their rights and freedoms, and hysterically oppose every suggestion that would curb abuses. What these extremists really want is not freedom, but license. No man, no group of men, can be "free" to deliberately force this nation into industrial stagnation, widespread unemployment and unimaginable desolation.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1924:

Harold Rasmussen left Monday for Big Rapids where he will enter Ferris Institute to take a business course. . . .

Mrs. Florence Shellenbarger was united in marriage to Stephen Stoner Saturday noon by Justice of the Peace O. P. Schumann. They spent several days visiting friends in Alba before returning to Grayling where they plan to reside. . . .

Orlando F. Barnes and wife sailed on January 15th for Egypt on a sightseeing tour. . . .

Charles R. Adams is feeling proud over a whopper of a pike that he landed Tuesday morning, while spearing thru the ice at the electric light dam. The fish was 40 inches in length and weighed 17 pounds. That's some fish, we'll say. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

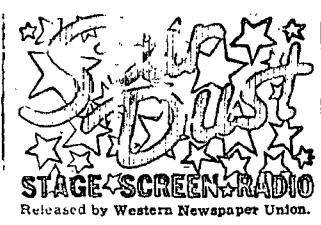
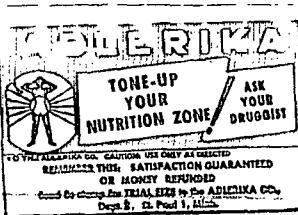
L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring, driving a Buick Six. . . .

L. N. I. and the N. L. V. S. . . .

Carl E. Hanson, son of John Hanson, former Grayling resident, expects to make a tour of the United States this spring

KENNEDY'S FLOWER SHOPPE
AS NEAR TO YOU AS YOUR TELEPHONE
DIAL 3521
411 Peninsula St. Grayling



STAGE SCREEN RADIO
Released by Western Newspaper Union

By VIRGINIA VALE

CASTING Janet Blair in a co-starring role in "The Fabulous Dorseys" was a smart move on the part of Producer Charles R. Rogers. The role is that of a beautiful girl with singing and dancing

talent who's a neighbor of the Dorseys in Pennsylvania. Well — Janet hails from Altoona, Pa., and emerged into the limelight as a band singer before coming to Hollywood. Incidentally, the Dorseys say it's lucky they were such fighters, because otherwise they might not have been so successful. They worked together as long as they could, trying to direct one band jointly. The break came, Tommy went his way alone, Jimmy went his — result two top-notch bands.

Tom Conway is fast becoming the top whodunit actor in show business. He is in "Sherlock Holmes" on A-

MICHIGAN MIRROR

(Continued from Page One)
such products as potatoes.

Here is a basic progressive program, and Governor Sigler's emphasis should be most helpful. There is some feeling at Lansing that the state's food advertising program itself has been premature, like putting the cart ahead of the horse, and that it should have been preceded by consumer confidence and acceptance of Michigan food products through uniform inspection and grading. Advertising itself can not create confidence in the consumer's mind that Michigan potatoes, for example, are superior to those from Idaho or Maine.

year and Erma Burtch's 522 is the best individual three-game series for the season. She is holding first place in the average list with 144, followed by Ann Carriéve with 138, Fern Akers with 137, and Clara Sorenson with 136.

comes each week with The Detroit Sunday Times.

Grayling Bowling League

LADIES' BOWLING LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pts.
Porath's	30	21	42
Jarmain's	30	21	39
Dorett's	29	22	38
Long's	28	23	37
Sorenson's	26	25	35
Dawson's	23	28	30
Hanson's	19	32	28
Olson's	19	32	25

Maude Oates rolled the high single game for the week with a 191, while Dorothy Hayes, 454 was the high individual three-game series. Clara Sorenson's 110 is still the best individual single effort of the

THRILL TO MILTON CANIFF'S NEW COMIC, IN THE DETROIT TIMES

Excitement galore! Fun and plenty of it! You'll find it in "STEVE CANYON", Milton Caniff's new comic. Follow the weekly version in The Daily Detroit Times, and see "STEVE CANYON", in FULL COLOR, in "Puck", The Comic Weekly, which

IT'S A GOOD IDEA TO SHAKE THE FROWN FROM YOUR FOREHEAD, AND HELP MAKE LIFE MORE PLEASANT FOR OTHER FOLKS.



PETE ALSO SAYS

There will be opportunities for everyone to own that new car. But your old one must last for a while yet. Koop it in good repair.

Welsh Motor

Sales
500 Norway
Phone 2401

LIETZ TAILOR
AND CLEANERS

407 CEDAR ST. PHONE 2331

BETTY SUE JOHN SELSKY



An example of the Modern Way To Save—SHOPPING at JOHN'S GROCERY. Get the thrifty habit this easy and enjoyable way. Have fun picking up bargain after bargain and see all the savings you'll make. Call us... we deliver.



Here's another winter driving tip from your Standard Oil Dealer

A flick of the starter... and she starts! What a grand and glorious feeling! So remember, your Standard Oil Dealer has a way to help a lot in cold weather starting.



Isn't this the tip you want—to stop your winter starting troubles?

Here's how to choose the right gasoline to help your car "get hot" quick: Choose on the basis of cold-weather starting and warm-up qualities. The actual facts show Standard White Crown Gasoline is tops for both these winter "musts"—a real champ among premium brands.

Don't make that "all gasolines are alike" mistake... especially in winter. The differences between them can mean a lot to your winter driving.

You'll find responsive Standard White Crown ready for you at your Standard Oil Dealer's... ready with instant starts and reliable winter performance. Try it today... and you'll like it all winter.



STANDARD WHITE CROWN
Standard Oil's Finest Gasoline!

Whether you wish to buy, sell or trade your property, you'll do better if you

DIAL 4741

Our reputation of fair dealing has been acquired over a number of years.

Art Clocks

500 McClellan St. (US-27) Grayling, Mich.

STOP! LOOK! AND ORDER!

APPLE and PEACH TREES, \$20 per 100 and up.
We have only a few hundred CHERRY, PEAR, PRUNE and PLUM yet to offer. Reasonable prices.

EGYPTIAN NURSERY AND LANDSCAPE CO.
Phone 64 FARINA ILLINOIS

START
TODAY THE HEALTH WAY. DRINK OUR FRESH PASTEURIZED MILK. IT'S GOOD AND GOOD FOR YOU!

HUNTER'S AU SABLE DAIRY

WEDNESDAY

7:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.

1:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:30 P.M.

4:30 P.M.

5:30 P.M.

6:30 P.M.

7:30 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

9:30 P.M.

10:30 P.M.

11:30 P.M.

12:30 A.M.

1:30 A.M.

2:30 A.M.

3:30 A.M.

4:30 A.M.

5:30 A.M.

6:30 A.M.

7:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.

1:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:30 P.M.

4:30 P.M.

5:30 P.M.

6:30 P.M.

7:30 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

9:30 P.M.

10:30 P.M.

11:30 P.M.

12:30 A.M.

1:30 A.M.

2:30 A.M.

3:30 A.M.

4:30 A.M.

5:30 A.M.

6:30 A.M.

7:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.

1:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:30 P.M.

4:30 P.M.

5:30 P.M.

6:30 P.M.

7:30 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

9:30 P.M.

10:30 P.M.

11:30 P.M.

12:30 A.M.

1:30 A.M.

2:30 A.M.

3:30 A.M.

4:30 A.M.

5:30 A.M.

6:30 A.M.

7:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.

1:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:30 P.M.

4:30 P.M.

5:30 P.M.

6:30 P.M.

7:30 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

9:30 P.M.

10:30 P.M.

11:30 P.M.

12:30 A.M.

1:30 A.M.

2:30 A.M.

3:30 A.M.

4:30 A.M.

5:30 A.M.

6:30 A.M.

7:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.

1:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:30 P.M.

4:30 P.M.

5:30 P.M.

6:30 P.M.

7:

Our Fifteenth Anniversary

**CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET OF
GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK**
Covering Period From Dec. 31, 1931 To Dec. 31, 1946

RESOURCES

	1931	1933	1935	1937	1939	1941	1943	1945	1946
Loans and discounts	\$ 66,696.48	\$ 136,640.20	\$ 182,619.44	\$ 134,161.49	\$ 125,772.90	\$ 52,338.69	\$ 54,460.03	\$ 88,809.24	
Real Estate Mortgages	None	None	24,399.90	51,193.50	96,049.22	77,200.71	138,110.59	244,798.24	
Certificates of Deposit	35,000.00	70,000.00	60,000.00	55,000.00	75,000.00	55,000.00			
Bonds and Securities:									
U. S. Government Bonds	36,162.34	91,596.09	66,406.51	39,254.55	45,300.00	435,051.25	1,022,380.42	956,737.51	
Reserves, viz:									
Cash and due from banks in reserve cities	\$ 17,400.00	\$ 51,244.22	\$ 83,291.94	\$ 92,427.37	\$ 212,670.42	\$ 237,191.52	\$ 370,895.34	\$ 304,455.26	\$ 447,588.22
Capital Stock paid in—Surplus									
Subscriptions	12,600.00								
Combined Accounts, viz:									
Banking House	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Furniture and Fixtures	668.69	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Items in Transit	1,055.00	4,102.31	125.20	359.22	712.95	25.00	2,051.76	1,685.82	
Overdrafts	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
TOTAL	\$30,000.00	\$190,826.73	\$385,631.54	\$425,979.42	\$492,640.18	\$580,027.59	\$990,511.99	\$1,521,459.06	\$1,739,620.03

LIABILITIES

	1931	1933	1935	1937	1939	1941	1943	1945	1946
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	5,000.00	8,290.27	16,152.42	30,684.59	36,375.20	40,729.63	42,712.05	51,663.25	57,668.60
Commercial Deposits, viz:									
Commercial Deposits Subject to check	129,287.09	264,412.35	257,750.32	267,415.12	310,232.32	637,808.08	959,270.20	1,002,879.47	
Commercial Certificates of Deposit	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	
Certified Checks	160.00	35.00	94.13	52.10	22.95	45,254.99	2,554.00	2,648.00	
Bank Money Orders	1,351.71	1,398.87	703.27	1,130.80	1,488.39	2,850.40	5,840.33	30,828.54	
Savings Deposits, viz:									
Bank Accounts subject to Savings Bylaws	21,562.66	71,486.72	101,759.34	160,896.76	202,554.30	238,886.47	477,131.28	620,595.42	
Certificates of Deposit	5,175.00	7,146.18	9,987.77	1,770.20	None	None	None	None	
TOTAL	\$30,000.00	\$190,826.73	\$385,631.54	\$425,979.42	\$492,640.18	\$580,027.59	\$990,511.99	\$1,521,459.06	\$1,739,620.03

December 31st, 1946, our bank completed the first 15 years of its existence and we desire at this time to express our sincere appreciation to our depositors for the confidence placed in us and the co-operation extended to us, without which we could not have experienced the satisfactory growth reflected in the above figures.

This whole-hearted co-operation has enabled us in turn to render adequate banking services to our community. Two items alone will illustrate this: 14,793 loans have been made to date, amounting to \$5,327,317.65. This amount of loans, we believe, has directly or indirectly benefitted everyone living in Crawford County. Also, we have handled and cleared for our clients during this fifteen-year period checks amounting to \$107,330,362.14.

Since December 31st, 1932, the bank has weathered the "Bank Holiday", the severe depression of the thirties, the World War II period with all its strain and extra load of work such as the O. P. A. "Coupon Banking", sale of War Bonds of which the officers, directors and personnel of the bank were very active. Many of our operations were interfered with because of existing, necessary but cumbersome war regulations.

We are now in the post-war period with its many attendant problems of reconversion and re-adjustment. However, we believe, or at least hope, that less strenuous and more normal times are ahead.

In the meantime, it will be our aim to continue to render banking services to the best of our ability to the people of Grayling and Crawford County.

With best wishes for the Happiness and Prosperity of all of our clients in 1947, we remain

Yours very truly,

GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

By JOHN BRUUN, President.

DIRECTORS:

ESBERN HANSON

HOLGER D. HANSON

A. J. NELSON

WILHELM RAAE

JOHN BRUUN

OFFICERS:

ESBERN HANSON, Chairman of the Board

JOHN BRUUN, President and Manager

HOLGER D. HANSON, Vice-President

MARGRETHE NIELSEN, Cashier

DON K. GOTTHRO, Asst. Cashier

Bits O' Talk

Miss Patricia Roberts and friend Miss Marjory Kemp, arrived in Miami, Florida, to be employed as registered nurses at the Jackson Memorial Hospital for the winter months.

Lutheran Junior Aid met at the home of Mrs. Norma Gust, Wednesday, the 8th, for their January meeting.

Mrs. Vincent Kubik is a new employee at Bennett's Service.

Howard DeLaMater returned to

the University of Michigan, Sunday, December 5, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeLaMater.

Recent guests of the Esbern Olson family were Mrs. Olson's brother, W. J. P. Failing, wife and daughter Ellen, of Lawrenceville, Illinois, also Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Midland. Mrs. Ellen Failing accompanied them home for a visit.

SPECIAL—\$20.00 Ski Pants at \$16.00 at OLSON'S.

Mrs. Ray Clement was hostess to the Saturday Bridge Club at their last meeting. Mrs. Ella Wilcox

and Mrs. A. J. Joseph were guests for the afternoon. High score was held by Mrs. Willard Cornell and second high by Mrs. Joseph.

Mrs. J. E. Bugby underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital, Monday morning.

David Grant Peterson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, was a patient at Mercy Hospital from Tuesday to Saturday of last week.

SPECIAL—\$10.50 Stadium Boots at \$9.45 at OLSON'S.

Those to have perfect attendance at the Michelson Memorial Church Sunday School in the 4th to 8th grades were Nancy, Tommy and Terry Hilton, Rita and Jeannine Sorenson, Jimmy and Joan Bond, Jimmy Granger, Silvia Robertson, Joan Andrews, Donna Horning, Phyllis Randolph, Ronny Larson, Louise Lutz, Shirley Souders and Phyllis Ziebell.

Thirty-six interested folks attended the Bible Study group held Wednesday evening of last week at the Michelson Memorial Church. A very worthwhile and enjoyable time was had by all. The lessons will be given every Wednesday evening (for six lessons) at 7:30 sharp by Rev. R. C. Puffer. All are invited.

T-5 Farrell B. Gorman has received his honorable discharge from the Service at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Mrs. O. P. Schumann was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club last Wednesday at her home.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Ray Clement, Mrs. Ella Wilcox,

Mrs. A. M. Lewis, and Mrs. A. E. Mason. Mrs. C. R. Keyport and Mrs. A. M. Lewis held high and second high score respectively.

WANTED—Volunteer sewers for the Red Cross. The need is urgent. Small unlined capes for girls are to be made and shipped overseas. Call Mrs. Ray Clement, Phone 3846.

SPECIAL—\$15.00 Ski Boots at \$8.95 at OLSON'S.

Mrs. Ben DeLaMater returned Monday from a visit in Saginaw, where Mr. DeLaMater is employed.

Richard Penty was home from Michigan State College to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Penty, at Lake Margrethe.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Guests at the Eugene Papendick home Saturday and Sunday were Cliff Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Max Newell, Mrs. Orrin Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hager and Leslie Hager, of Fife Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woodford of Dearborn; George Tuck, Clyde Newell, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Newell of Traverse City, and Rev. Leon May of Alma, who were here to attend the funeral of Bryan Newell. Guests at the Newell home here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bronson and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vickery and Fred Vickery, of Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. Denton Cooper of Alpena; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Newell of Tawas City; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bechtel and Mrs. Ruth Longstreet and son Paul, of Manton; Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Cooley and son Arthur, of Evart; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodall and son Stanley, of Fletcher. Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Bechtel are spending the week.

Lawrence Kalahar of Merrill spent two days last week as the guest of Miss Lillian Jordan and Henry Jordan. The latter's sister Mrs. Annie Wood, of Seattle, Washington, arrived this week for a visit.

SPECIAL—\$20.00 Ski Pants at \$16.00 at OLSON'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Blaine proudly announce the arrival of an infant son, born January 13 at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Laage, now of Harrison, were in Grayling Sunday. Mrs. Laage is staying over until Thursday, when Mr. Laage will return from a business trip in the Upper Peninsula.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Clarence and Clyde Thompson were in Chicago on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovley and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Goss spent Monday in Bay City, where they attended the funeral of Lewis Knapp, an uncle of the Lovleys.

SPECIAL—\$15.00 Ski Boots at \$8.95 at OLSON'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells are spending the winter in Brownsville, Texas, and also plan to attend the Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Mrs. Fred Ward was released from Mercy Hospital last Saturday.

Bill Tufts is driving a new Ford Tudor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dawson and family, of Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end visiting at the Earl Dawson residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reynolds and family, of Clare, spent the weekend with Mrs. James Reynolds.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert left Wednesday for a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. John Mallinger entertained her club at a dessert bridge Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Ernest Borchers held high score for the afternoon's play.

Mrs. James McDonnell returned home Monday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Burton Collins, in Fenton, and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holmgren, in Saginaw, and her brothers in Bay City.

John Matthiesen is a patient at Mercy Hospital, having undergone an operation Monday evening.

The William Joseph family plan to arrive in Grayling this week-end to make their home here. They will occupy the Max Laage residence.

Edward Lowrie, a student at Central Michigan College of Education, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morris, at Skyline.

The Lakeside Drive Club met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Flower, Tuesday afternoon.

Elmer Birdsall arrived from Detroit Sunday, and is spending the week at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Frank Malloy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard McDonald, in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson expect to leave Sunday for Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Funeral Services

(Continued from Page 1)

to Grayling from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Charron, formerly Christena Mabel MacGillis, was born February 14, 1893, in South Branch Township, Crawford County. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel MacGillis.

Following a preparatory course

in teaching at Ferris Institute, Big Rapids, Michigan, Mrs. Charron taught school in Crawford County until her marriage to Albert Joseph Charron in 1915. Since then Mr. and Mrs. Charron had lived in Grayling.

To all who knew her, Mrs. Charron depicted the perfect life, sue-

cessfully raising eight children and carefully guiding them to a good start in life. She lived a good, clean life and was respected and loved deeply by everyone. Her passing was a real loss to all. She was an active member of the St. Mary's Altar Society, who attended the funeral in a group.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh arrived home Monday from their trip into Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

Surviving are her husband and four daughters: Sister Mary Theonilla (formerly Rose Mary Charron) of Detroit, Virginia Charron of Greenville, Michigan, Margaret Charron and Mrs. Kathryn Such of Detroit; sons Donald of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Kermit of Lansing, Michigan, Pvt. Albert J. of Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, and Sgt. Fabian Charron, stationed in Korea; her mother, Mrs. Sophie MacGillis; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Shirey and Mrs. Carl Richardson, of Roscommon; Mrs. Leslie Harmer and Miss Gertrude MacGillis, of Flint; and a brother, John MacGillis, of Roscommon.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father Francis Branigan. Pall bearers were Clarence Charron of Trenton, Michigan, Carl Richardson of Roscommon, John Parsons of Rogers City, Leslie Harmer of Flint, Ray Murphy of Frederic, and Oscar Charron of Grayling.

Order your bottled gas from the B-C-D Equipment Company, Inc. We have fittings, tubing, tanks and regulators to install gas for you, and we can supply the gas after installation. Phone 3531.

Mr. and Mrs

EVERY
FRIDAY
AND
SATURDAY
NIGHT
DURING WINTER
SPORTS SEASON

JOEY and
JOHNNY,
The Musical
Duo
FOR YOUR
DANCING AND
LISTENING
PLEASURE AT—

SPIKE'S
KEG O' NAILS

Bits O' Talk

A new little daughter, Dorothy Ann, arrived January 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Papendick, Edmore, Mich. Rayda Papendick, a graduate nurse from



One day—soon we trust—we will be "watching the Fords go by" in greater numbers than ever before, and you probably will be driving one! Why? Because the Ford of the future is going to be the sort of car you have always liked . . . and bought. It will be big, smartly styled, with real comfort and plenty of power. Naturally, it will be a car you can depend on . . . reliable in the finest Ford tradition.

We hope you won't have to wait long for your Ford of the future . . . but it will be well worth waiting for.

Ford
WELSH
MOTOR SALES
500 NORWAY PHONE 2401

O. P. SCHUMANN
INSURANCE
AND
REAL ESTATE

Office 900 Michigan Avenue
Residence 506 Cedar St. (US-27)

Dial 3391
Dial 3121

LOOK TO

Ron's Hardware

ON THE CORNER — PHONE 4421 — WE DELIVER

—ONLY ONE LEFT—
No Priority

—LIMITED SUPPLY—

Lavatories - Closet Sets

COMPLETE

No Priority Needed

Genuine Cole Hot Blast

FIRE BRICK LINED
 $\frac{1}{4}$ OFF — NOW

\$72.50

— NEWEST GADGET OUT IN —

Kitchen Utility Stools

\$5.49

Smartly Styled

Sanitary Utility Cans

Easy to Keep Clean
SNO-WHITE

For Kitchen - Nursery - Bath

Place Orders For Paint

NOW!

BE SURE OF YOUR
COMING NEEDS!

Ice Fishing Equipment

SPUDS SPEARS DECOYS

THE NEWEST and NICEST in
WASHABLE
INTERIOR FINISHES

COLL Gasoline Driven WASHING MACHINES



main street Wednesday morning and drew quite an audience.

A few friends of Mrs. Jack Cook met for a potluck dinner at the Ray Clement home Saturday evening, to celebrate her birthday.

Plan to attend the P. T. A. party to be held in the High School Gym Friday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be fun for all, and the cost is little. This is another money-raising function for the Band.

Use Avalanche WANT ADS for quick results.

Basketball

(Continued from front page.)

of the season. The Boyne squad was much taller and heavier and threw their weight around to advantage. Referees Wardrop and Wares of Mt. Pleasant received plenty of jeers from the Boyne City boosters during the first half and then reversed themselves to come in for boos from the Grayling fans during the last half.

Grayling made but two foul shots out of 10, while Boyne cashed in on 4 out of 8 besides sinking two more field goals than the locals. Keweenaw led the locals with 8 points on four beautiful shots, followed by Carlson with 7 and Miller with 6. J. Moore bell-cowed Boyne with 9 points.

The Grayling Reserves also lost a heart-breaker to the Boyne seconds by a 21 to 20 score. J. Feldhauser led the Wavelets with 8 points. Andrens and Bradley led the Boyne seconds with 6 points each.

Although East Jordan led most of the way last Tuesday at East Jordan, Grayling poured on the coal in the final minutes, after Jordan had lost two players via the foul route, to pull the game out of the fire by a 35 to 34 score. Phil Keweenaw was also evicted for five personals late in the game.

Chuck Feldhauser and Keweenaw each scored 10 points, while Dick

Miller hit for 8, Carlson for 4, Goss for 3 and J. Feldhauser in his first varsity appearance snagged a bucket for 2 points. Max Niederer also made his debut with the varsity. Both boys have been playing heads-up ball for the Reserves and will now be playing with the varsity. Ayers led East Jordan with 13 points.

The Reserves lost again by a 23 to 18 score to the East Jordan Reserves. Bielski hit for 6 points and Krage for 4 to lead the local team. Thomson of East Jordan led his team with 8 points.

Six teams began intramural basketball play at the High School last week, with the Michigan team defeating the Ohio squad by a 13 to 12 score. Illinois downed the Minnesota team by a lopsided score

of 25 to 1. Northwestern trimmed Wisconsin in the third game by a 12 to 9 count.

The league is made up of Junior High boys who are learning the fundamentals and rules of the court game.

Maple Forest

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen Jr., have gone to Lansing for the rest of the winter. Both plan to work there.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel and Son Alfie spent the week-end in Bay City and Lapeer.

Art and Bert Plagens spent a few days with their brother Leon last week. Art bought a truck load of cattle Wednesday at the Gay-

lord sale to take home with him. Ernest Winston left Tuesday for Lansing, where he expects to work. Betsy Lovelady was a patient at Mercy Hospital for six days last week.

Jack Armstrong was called to the bedside of his mother, who is ill with pneumonia. She is 8 years old.

Joe Olson went to Ann Arbor last week for treatment at University Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Feldhauser of Pontiac spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldhauser.



LOOKING FOR A
COMFORTABLE
PAIR OF SHOES,
LADIES?

We are selling NEW SHOES now as well as repairing, so if you are one of those who "just can't find a pair of shoes to fit you," come in and see our samples today. You can get any length or width you want. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back.

BILL'S
SHOE REPAIR
PHONE 2541

DO DANCE AT
BOTTLE FENCE GARDENS
WATERS, MICHIGAN

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT

—Music By—

Frenchie's Four
WITH JUNE AT THE PIANO

FLAVOR-RICH
YOU BET . . . IT'S A&P COFFEE!

Coffee just doesn't come any better . . . thanks to A&P's expert buyers. They visit the leading Latin American coffee plantations . . . and select only choicer, finer beans. That's why you can be sure that every pound of A&P Coffee is tops in quality. You can be sure it's really fresh, too, because it's rushed from the roaster to your A&P . . . kept in the whole bean until you buy it . . . and Custom Ground before your eyes, just right for your coffee maker. No wonder A&P Coffee gives you so much more in delicious flavor! Try it today!



EIGHT O'CLOCK
mild and mellow lb. 36¢
RED CIRCLE
rich and full-bodied lb. 38¢
BOKAR
vigorous and winey lb. 40¢

A&P CANNED GOODS

EARLY JUICE	IONA PEAS	No. 2 can	13¢
DONALD DUCK	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	46-oz. can	23¢
CALIFORNIA	ORANGE JUICE	No. 2 can	13¢
FLORIDA CITRUS	BLEND	46-oz. can	23¢
CUT	IONA GREEN BEANS	No. 2 can	13¢
FANCY	IONA TOMATO JUICE	46-oz. can	27¢
GOLDEN SWEET	A&P CORN WHOLE KERNEL	No. 2 can	21¢
IN HEAVY SYRUP	A&P PEACHES	SLICED No. 2½ can	31¢
FANCY	A&P PUMPKIN	No. 2½ can	23¢
GRADE "A"	A&P SPINACH	No. 2 can	14¢
CUT	IONA BEETS	No. 2 can	11¢
IN HEAVY SYRUP	A&P APRICOTS HALVES	No. 2½ can	35¢

A&P BAKER TREATS

ENRICHED MARVEL BREAD	20-oz. loaf	13¢
JANE PARKER CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES	pkg. 48¢	
JANE PARKER SPANISH LOAF	ea. 38¢	
JANE PARKER COFFEE CAKE OLD FASHIONED	ea. 39¢	
JANE PARKER POTATO CHIPS	½-lb. bag	33¢
JANE PARKER HOME STYLE DONUTS	pkg. of 8	27¢

A&P DAIRY FOODS

AMERICAN CHED-O-BIT SPREAD	2-lb. loaf	99¢
AMERICAN MEL-O-BIT CHEESE	lb. 61¢	
MILD WISCONSIN CHEESE	lb. 61¢	
PLAIN OR PIMENTO PABST-ETT	pkg. 29¢	

A&P FRESH FRUITS
AND VEGETABLES

A NEW FRUIT Combination of Tangerine and Grapefruit	
TANGELOS	
You will be delighted with the Flavor Various Sizes at Popular Prices	

PINYON FRESH — GIANT 16 SIZE
PINEAPPLE

SEEDLESS CALIFORNIA NAVEL
ORANGES

FRESH GREEN NEW CABBAGE

FRESH PINGER-SIZE CARROTS

NEW CROP FLORIDA CELERY

FANCY TEXAS BREDLESS GRAPEFRUIT

MICHIGAN CHIPPEWA POTATOES

FANCY TENDER BROCCOLI

TOP QUALITY MEATS AT A SAVING

OVEN READY	FRESH CHOPPED	SMOKY SMOKED PICNICS
PRIME RIB ROAST 15. 53¢	GROUND BEEF 15. 41¢	lb. 41¢
DEB CHUCK CUTS	OVEN READY	
BEEF ROAST 15. 51¢	LEG OF LAMB 15. 59¢	
	COD FILLETS 15. 35¢	

RAEIL W. DAWSON, Store Manager
STORE HOURS: Monday through Friday—8:30 until 6:00. Saturday—9 A.M. to 6 p.m.